


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Noon.—Nimosa leaves for Coast Ports.

WINES AND SPIRITS



BY APPOINTMENT.

A. S. WATSON & Co.,
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HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following
branded Brands, all of which are
of excellent quality and good value for the most
the same being specially selected by
London House, and bought direct from
the most noted Shippers, are imported in
and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling
to supply the best growths at moderate
prices.

IN ordering it is only necessary
state the name and quantity of Wine
or Spirit wanted, and initial letter for goods
desired.

Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For *Freights and general use.*)

		Case. Per
A	Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule . . .	\$10
B	Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsule . . .	12
C	Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Cap- sule . . .	14
D	Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Cap- sule (Old Bottled) . . .	18
SHERRIES.		

A	Delicate Cream Dry, Amber wine, Green Capsule . . .	6
B	Superior Pale Dry, Amber wine, Green Seal Capsule . . .	7.50
C	Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule . . .	10
CC	Superior - Old - Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule . . .	10
D	Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule . . .	12
E	Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality Black Seal Capsule (<i>Old Botitta</i>)	14

	Per Case.	Per
CLARETS.	1 doz.	Quarts.
A Superior Breakfast Claret,		
Red Capsule	\$4.	
B St. Estephe, Red Capsule,	4.50	
C St. Julien		
D La Rose	11	
	Per doz.	Case. Per
BRANDY.		
A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red	\$12	
B Superior Very Old Cognac,		
Red Capsule	14	
C Very Old Liqueur Cognac,		
Red Capsule	18	
D Hennessy's Finest Very Old		
Liqueur Cognac, 1872		
Vintage, Red Capsule	24	
SCOTCH WHISKY.		
A Thorne's Blend, White		
Capsule	8	
B Watson's Glenrochy Mel-		
low Blend, Black Capsule,		
with Name and Trade		
Mark,	8	

O Watson's A Belvoir Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark,	8
D Watson's Very Old Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule	10
E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule	12
IRISH WHISKY.	
A John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule.	8
B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule.	10
C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule	12
Genuine Bowdoin Whisky, Red Old, Red Capsule, with Name	10
GIN.	

A	Fine Old Tom, White Capsule	4.50
B	Fine Unswested, White Capsule	4.50
C	Fine A. V. H. Geneva	5.25

RUM.

	Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule	19
	Good Lowland Island	\$1.50 per c

LIQUEURS.

Benedictine	Maraschino
Curaçoa	Herring's Cherry
Chartreuse	Dr. Sigalet's
	Bitters, &c.

BIRTH.

At Outseats, Aberdeen, on the 17th
Captain WILLIAM THOM, formerly of
kong, aged 69 years.

The publication of this issue commences at 6.30 p.m.

The China Mail

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, AUGUST 13,

THE Share Bill again! During the

two or three months, columns have been written and spoken about Mr Keating's share bill. It was with a sigh of relief that we welcomed the passing of the measure for now at last, we thought, the subject would be dropped and the public delivered from the wearisome iteration of the arguments pro and con. But our joy was premature.

tion a uniform answer cannot be given, as the answer is dependent on the condition of the society who form the station. To-morrow we hope to deal with this question, and to show that in Pongkong, where it is difficult to establish the voluntary correctives that exist in England, legislative action, such as that adopted, is necessary and likely to be productive of good; and we shall at the same time endeavour to answer the two principal objections to the bill urged by the memorialists—the only definite objections raised—the influ-

once on the small arbitrage business done and the change made in the legal character and consequences of a contract for sale on time.

TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL."]
(Via Southern Line.)

**AMERICA ANTICIPATES TROUBLES
IN CHINA.**

LONDON, 11th Aug.

The United States Squadron has been ordered (from Japan) to China, presumably in connection with expected troubles. [Let China tremble: the Monocacy is coming.]

(From Singapore Papers.)

THE GUN ACCIDENT ON THE CORDILIA.

London, 4th August.—The Government are convinced that the bursting of the gun on board H.M.S. Cordelia was due to defective steel, and orders have been issued for the removal of all suspicious guns from the ships of the Royal Navy.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURE CAPITAL.

OUTWARD BOUND:—Glendoeur, June 15
Winter, 23; Angers, 26; Russia, July
5; Crown of Aragon, 7; Glen Lethoch,
12; Angers, 14; Glendoeur, 15;
Glensk, Moldava, 17; Bamhow, Tor-
dan, 21; Tizen, Dora Eoster, Colombia
Armenia, Kichan, 24; Chiapou, Chian,
28; Dardane, Glenfloth, Oceanian
Glenhous, 31; Sydney, Hector, Aug.

HOMEWARD BOUND:—Sith, Thanes, June
30; Onfia, July 14; St. Petersburg,
21; Angers, 24; Glen Lethoch,
Glendoeur, 26; Monmouthshire, Pils-
nurus, Pithan, Philshire, 28; Hesper-
ia, Colombo, 28; Bayern, Sarpodou,
31; Polythems, Aug. 4.

The P. & O. s. *Miraspor*, with the English Mail of July 17, left Singapore on Sunday, the 9th instant, at 5 p.m. and may be expected here on or about Friday, 14th inst. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on 11th June.

The Canadian Pacific Railway s. *Empress* of India, left Yokohama for Hongkong on 13th inst.

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The Glen Line steamship *Clarendon*, from London, left Singapore on Aug. 9th inst. and may be expected here on or about Aug. 16th.

The P. & O. s. *Thal*, left Singapore

The s.s. *Yorshire* left Singapore on the 11th inst. and may be expected here on or about the 16th inst.

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The Shire Line s.s. *Pennockashire*, from London, &c., left Singapore on the 12th inst. and may be expected here on or about the 18th inst.

The s.s. *Oheydra*, from Calcutta and P. & O. steamer *Langkat* left Singapore on 13th inst. and may be expected here on or about the 19th inst.

The P. & O. Co.'s steamer *Venetia* left Bombay on Aug. 8th for this port.

The P. & O. steamer *Shankaj* left Amwerp for this port on 1st Aug.

Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co. inform

that the s.s. *Chagora*, from Calcutta and Penang for this port, left Singapore at morning, the 13th inst.

The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. Co. informs us that the *Ch's s.s. The* left Singapore for this port on 10th inst. at 4 p.m.

MRSAS Dodwell, Carill & Co. inform that the *Shiro Line s.s. Pembroke* from Lond. n. s., left Singapore on 12th instants, for this port.

A COOLER who was employed on board s.s. *Cosmopolis* yesterday went into

room of the chief officer, Mr. Holtz, appropriated a silver watch. Mr. Wise day sent him to jail for a month.

A zoven of the drama named O Bhek disappointed with the performance at Ko Shing Theatre last night, and showed it by throwing things at the actors. He got no sympathy in the Police Court this morning. Mr. Wise imposing a fine of \$5 for disorderly conduct.

The Band of the 1st & 8. Highland will play the following programs at Barrack Square this evening, commencing at 7:30 p.m.:

March	Jupiter	Gauline
Lancaster	The Mikado	Eucloos
Valde	Little Saffron	Crowe
Folke	Drink puppy	A
Quadrille	Drink	William
Galop	Kassian	Winterbo

Mr. Wise held an inquiry at the Magistrate's day in connection with the case of a man who was killed by a fall while trying to escape from a gambling-house in Ross Street on the evening of the 11th inst. It appears that the man was trying to make his escape by the roof when he fell down a smoke-hole, a depth of 45 feet, and fractured his skull. He was removed to

Civil Hospital soon afterwards, but died a few minutes after admission. The inquest was adjourned for evidence as to the identity of the deceased.

(continued)

London and or Hamburg, 20 pigs.
chanda.

Per British Barkes *C. Burga*, sald
August—For New York, 14,862
plugs, 1,000 bales-Cassia,
Presavos, 300 boxes Palm leaf
pkgs. Merchandise, 260 cases China
171 bundles Rattans, 161 cases Black
wre, 141 bales Cloves and 15 bales Pe-

Per *S. S. Canton*, sald 12th August
For London, 193 bales Waste Silk
pkgs 100 bales China, 100 bales
wre, 42 cases China, 18 cases U-
wre, 42 cases China, 589 boxes Tea, contain-
12,369 lbs. Congou, 9,635 boxes Tea, con-
taining 202,836 lbs. Congou, 2 cases
boxes Tea, containing 5,000 lbs. Congou,
100 boxes Tea, containing 1,000 lbs. Congou,
2,386 lbs. Sorts, and 29 pk. c. Tea in
chow, for France, 773 pkgs. Tea, contain-

Per *S. S. Sab-se*, sald 12th August
For London, 325 bales Silk, 34 cases
China, 5 cases Tonkin Silk, 34 cases
Tea, 12 boxes Hair, 80 bales Waste Sil-
k, 4 Empty Trunks; for London, 85 bales
8 cases Silk Pique Goods and 1 case

